# WATER QUALITY, SUPPLY, AND INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 2014



Funding Summary

The Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014, is a \$7.545 billion general obligation bond proposal that would provide funding to address water quality, supply, and infrastructure improvement issues in California. The bond is comprised of seven categories of funding:

\$520 million	Clean and Safe Drinking Water
• \$260 million	Wastewater treatment in small communities
• \$260 million	Drinking water projects for disadvantaged communities
\$1,495 million	Watershed Restoration and Protection
• \$515 million	Watershed restoration in designated areas around the state
• \$475 million	State commitments for environmental restoration
• \$305 million	Statewide watershed restoration
• \$200 million	Projects to increase water flowing in rivers and streams
\$810 million	Regional Water Security
• \$510 million	Integrated regional water management projects
• \$100 million	Water conservation and water use efficiency plans, projects, and programs
• \$200 million	Multi-benefit stormwater management projects
\$2,700 million	Statewide System Operation
• \$2,700 million	Public benefits associated with water storage projects
\$725 million	Water Recycling
• \$725 million	Water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects
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Of the \$7.545 billion identified above, the state's ten hydrologic regions, as identified in the California Water Plan (see map on page 2), are eligible for specific funding dedicated in the bond to the regions, as well as other funds dedicated in the bond to conservancies or activities within a particular region. The following describes the distribution of bond funding to each hydrologic region of the state, as well as the funding eligible for expenditure within the specific regions to help finance water management projects and programs with local, regional and statewide benefits.

# **HYDROLOGIC REGIONS OF CALIFORNIA**



# NORTH COAST HYDROLOGIC REGION

Del Norte, Humboldt, Trinity, Mendocino, and parts of Glenn, Lake, Marin, Modoc, Siskiyou and Sonoma counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The North Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 million for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### **Watershed Protection and Restoration**

The North Coast region may be eligible for a share of each of the following: \$30 million related to actions in support of the Ocean Protection Council; \$100.5 million for multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection and restoration projects for coastal watersheds; and a share of \$475 million for projects that fulfill State obligations for Klamath Settlement. The region may also be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, and \$285 million for watershed restoration projects.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the North Coast is \$26.5 million. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

## **Statewide System Operation**

The North Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

## **Water Recycling**

The North Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

#### **Groundwater Sustainability**

The North Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

## **Flood Management**

The North Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management.

# SAN FRANCISCO BAY HYDROLOGIC REGION

San Francisco, most of Marin and San Mateo, and parts of Alameda, Contra Costa, Napa, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz. Solano and Sonoma counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The San Francisco Bay Area region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 million for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### **Watershed Protection and Restoration**

The San Francisco Bay Area region may be eligible for a share of each of the following: \$30 million related to actions in support of the Ocean Protection Council, \$100.5 million for multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection and restoration projects for coastal watersheds, and \$50 million for projects in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy area. The region may also be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, \$285 million for watershed restoration projects, and \$87.5 million for ecosystem projects that benefit the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the San Francisco Bay Area is \$65 million. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

## **Statewide System Operation**

The San Francisco Bay Area region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

## **Water Recycling**

The San Francisco Bay Area region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

#### **Groundwater Sustainability**

The San Francisco Bay Area region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

## **Flood Management**

The San Francisco Bay Area region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management and a portion of \$295 million for projects that reduce the risk of levee failure in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

# CENTRAL COAST HYDROLOGIC REGION

Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, most of Santa Cruz, and parts of Kern, San Benito, San Mateo, Santa Clara and Ventura counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The Central Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 million for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### **Watershed Protection and Restoration**

The Central Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$30 million related to actions in support of the Ocean Protection Council and \$100.5 million for multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection and restoration projects for coastal watersheds. The region may also be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, and \$285 million for watershed restoration projects.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the Central Coast is \$43 million. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

## **Statewide System Operation**

The Central Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

## **Water Recycling**

The Central Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

# **Groundwater Sustainability**

The Central Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

# **Flood Management**

The Central Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management.

# SOUTH COAST HYDROLOGIC REGION

Orange and parts of Los Angeles, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego and Ventura counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The South Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 million for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### **Watershed Protection and Restoration**

The South Coast region would receive \$87 million for multi-benefit water guality, water supply, and watershed protection and restoration projects in areas of the Baldwin Hills Conservancy, the San Diego River Conservancy, the San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy, and the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy. The region would also receive \$100 million for urban creek projects in the San Gabriel and Los Angeles river watersheds. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$30 million related to actions in support of the Ocean Protection Council and \$100.5 million for multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection and restoration projects in coastal watersheds and Catalina Island. In addition, the South Coast region may be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, and \$285 million for watershed restoration projects.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the South Coast is \$213.5 million subdivided between three sub-regions. The Los Angeles sub region, which includes Ventura County, is allocated \$98 million, the Santa Ana watershed is allocated \$63 million, and the San Diego sub-region, which includes the southern portion of Orange County, is allocated \$52.5 million. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

## **Statewide System Operation**

The South Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

## **Water Recycling**

The South Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

## **Groundwater Sustainability**

The South Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

# **Flood Management**

The South Coast region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management.

# SACRAMENTO RIVER HYDROLOGIC REGION

Butte, Colusa, Plumas, Shasta, Sutter, Tehama, Yolo, Yuba and parts of Alpine, Amador, El Dorado, Glenn, Lake, Lassen, Modoc, Napa, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Sierra, Siskiyou and Solano counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The Sacramento River region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 million for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### **Watershed Protection and Restoration**

The Sacramento River region may be eligible for a share of \$50 million in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy area and \$25 million in the Sierra Nevada Conservancy area to support multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection and restoration projects. The region may be eligible for a share of \$475 million for projects that fulfill State obligations for the Central Valley Project Improvement Act. The region may also be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, \$285 million for watershed restoration projects, and \$87.5 million for ecosystem projects that benefit the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the Sacramento River region is \$37 million and a share of \$13 million for the Mountain Counties Overlay area. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

# **Statewide System Operation**

The Sacramento River region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

## **Water Recycling**

The Sacramento River region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

#### **Groundwater Sustainability**

The Sacramento River region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

# **Flood Management**

The Sacramento River region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management and \$295 million for projects that reduce the risk of levee failure in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

# SAN JOAQUIN RIVER HYDROLOGIC REGION

Calaveras, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Tuolumne and parts of Alameda, Alpine, Amador, Contra Costa, El Dorado, Fresno, Sacramento and San Benito counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The San Joaquin River region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### **Watershed Protection and Restoration**

The San Joaquin River region would receive \$10 million for multi-benefit projects located in the San Joaquin River Conservancy area and may also be eligible for a share of \$50 million in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy area and \$25 million in the Sierra Nevada Conservancy area. The region may be eligible for a share of \$475 million for projects that fulfill State obligations for the Central Valley Project Improvement Act. The region may also be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, \$285 million for watershed restoration projects, and \$87.5 million for ecosystem projects that benefit the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the San Joaquin River region is \$31 million and a share of \$13 million for the Mountain Counties Overlay area. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

## **Statewide System Operation**

The San Joaquin River region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

# **Water Recycling**

The San Joaquin River region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

#### **Groundwater Sustainability**

The San Joaquin River region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

#### **Flood Management**

The San Joaquin River region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management and \$295 million for projects that reduce the risk of levee failure in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

# TULARE LAKE HYDROLOGIC REGION

Kings, Tulare and parts of Kern, Fresno, and San Benito counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The Tulare Lake Region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 million for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### **Watershed Protection and Restoration**

The Tulare Lake region may be eligible for a share of \$25 million for multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection and restoration projects in the Sierra Nevada Conservancy area. The region may also be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, and \$285 million for watershed restoration projects.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the Tulare Lake region is \$34 million. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

# **Statewide System Operation**

The Tulare Lake region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

#### Water Recycling

The Tulare Lake region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

## **Groundwater Sustainability**

The Tulare Lake region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

# **Flood Management**

The Tulare Lake region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management.

# NORTH LAHONTAN HYDROLOGIC REGION

Parts of Alpine, El Dorado, Lassen, Modoc, Mono, Nevada, Placer and Sierra counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The North Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 million for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### **Watershed Protection and Restoration**

The North Lahontan region would receive \$15 million for multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection and restoration projects in the Tahoe Conservancy area and may be eligible for a share of \$25 million for projects in the Sierra Nevada Conservancy area. The region may be eligible for a share of \$475 million for projects that fulfill State obligations for the Tahoe Regional Planning Act. The region may also be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, and \$285 million for watershed restoration projects.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the North and South Lahontan regions is combined; the North Lahontan region may be eligible for a portion of \$24.5 million. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

#### **Statewide System Operation**

The North Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

# **Water Recycling**

The North Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

## **Groundwater Sustainability**

The North Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

## **Flood Management**

The North Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management.

# SOUTH LAHONTAN HYDROLOGIC REGION

Inyo and parts of Kern, Los Angeles, Mono and San Bernardino counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The South Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 million for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### Watershed Protection and Restoration

The South Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$25 million for multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection projects in the Sierra Nevada Conservancy area. The region may also be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, and \$285 million for watershed restoration projects.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the North and South Lahontan regions is combined; the South Lahontan region may be eligible for a portion of \$24.5 million. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

# **Statewide System Operation**

The South Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

#### Water Recycling

The South Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

## **Groundwater Sustainability**

The South Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

## **Flood Management**

The South Lahontan region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management.

# COLORADO RIVER HYDROLOGIC REGION

Imperial and parts of Riverside, San Bernardino and San Diego counties

# **Clean and Safe Drinking Water**

The Colorado River region may be eligible for a share of \$260 million to support wastewater treatment programs and projects and a share of \$260 million for safe, reliable, drinking water programs and projects.

#### **Watershed Protection and Restoration**

The Colorado River region would receive \$10 million for multi-benefit water quality, water supply, and watershed protection and restoration projects in the Coachella Valley Mountains Conservancy area and may be eligible for a share of \$475 million for projects that fulfill State obligations for the Salton Sea. The region may also be eligible to receive a share of \$200 million for projects that enhance stream flow, \$20 million for water and urban river enhancement projects, and \$285 million for watershed restoration projects.

# **Regional Water Security**

The regional allocation for the Colorado River is \$22.5 million. The region may also be eligible for a share of \$300 million in water conservation and stormwater management funding.

# **Statewide System Operation**

The Colorado River region may be eligible for a share of \$2.7 billion for public benefits associated with water storage projects.

# **Water Recycling**

The Colorado River region may be eligible for a share of \$725 million for water recycling and advanced treatment technology projects.

## **Groundwater Sustainability**

The Colorado River region may be eligible for a share of \$900 million to support groundwater sustainability programs and projects.

#### **Flood Management**

The Colorado River region may be eligible for a share of \$100 million to support improved flood management.

